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THOUSAND DOLLARS WERE DISTRIBUTED AMONG FIVE THOUSAND WORKMEN BY FIRM

Chicago, III., Dec. 23-The Crane and averaged about 5 per cent of the

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"ou Have to Do Is to Try It."

Quarter Million to Employes

RAILROAD WRECK

BALTIMORE AND OHIO PASSEN GER TRAIN MEETS WITH A TERRIBLE DISASTER.

And Thirty Injured-Train Derailed and Passengers Scalded by Steam. Nearly All Killed Riding in Smoker,

Connellsville, Pa., Dec. 23.-A disastrous passenger wreck occurred on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, eight miles west of here tonight, and at least sixty-three people were killed and twenty or thirty badly hurt.

The wrecked train was known as No. 12, eastbound, and was composed of the engine, combination baggage and smoker, two coaches, two Pull mans and a diner.

The official statement of Supt. W. C. Loree is as follows:

"No. 12 was derailed by running into some switch timbers or timbers of about that size, derailing the engine and all the cars. All of the cars are badly damaged. Do not think any of the equipment will be able to go away from the scene of the accident on their own wheels except possibly the trict Attorney erome against some of Pullman cars and the diner. The engine lies across both of the tracks The baggage car is over the bank The first coach is partly over the The balance of the train is badly twisted. I judge thirty-five Mr. Jerome are that certain builders people are killed. All people killed and contractors whose names are were in the smoker. Escaping steam from the engine went into the first scach, scalding the people. Very few passengers in other portions of the train were injured. The injured have been taken from the wreck and placed on the bank. The engineer

and fireman can not be found." Details are lacking, but it is under stood as the passenger was passing a freight, 20me broken timbers fell from a car directly in front of passenger throwing the engine from the track, and derailing balance of the train.

Among the dead are Engineer William Thornly, of Hazle-

Hazlewood, Pa.

Fireman Thomas Cook of Hazle-

agent. Charles Linford, Confluence, Pa. Edwards Pittsburg. Wife in tered into consideration.

Cumberland. J. W. Martin, Hancock, Md.

Richard Duckett, Baltimore. Edison Goldsmith, Connellsville,

Other fifty-three dead are mostly foreigners and negroes who were riding in the smoking car. Work of their

dentification has not yet begun

AND HERE'S ANOTHER.

Louisville and Nashville Adds to Raitsroad Wreck.

Morris, Ala., Dec. 23.-The second section of through bound train No. 3. Louisville and Nashville railroad, runming one hour and fifteen minutes late, collided head-on with the Decafur accommodation train one quarter between Japan and Russia are not of a mile south of here this afternoon

The dead: Henry Allen (Col.). mail clerk. Fatally injured: lis Wright, engineer of train No. 3. Seventeen others were injured.

REGIMENT FOR DREYFUS.

Paris Paper Confirms Report of the Coming Reinstatement.

Paris, Dec. 23.-The Liberte confirms the report that the Council of what she considers to be her vital inthe War Office has considered the de Russia concedes important points antails of Dreyfus's reinstatement in the other exchange of notes will precipiarmy, and that the regiment be will tate matters. command, with the rank of lieutenantcolonel, has been chosen.

It is added that a determination so Far Recovered That He Has Gone has been reached to deal rigorously with officers who express disaprpoval na who has been confined to his room of Dreyfus' reinstatement. at the Waldorf Astoria by a serious

WOULD FLEE "RWFET.DE"" CIPI. cold, was so for recovered tonight that San Francisco, Dec. 23.-Millionaire he left for aWshington Clarke, who wedded Powers, the "Sweet-Pea Girl," a few days ago, has begun a sult for divorce. He alleges that she, aided by others,

induced him to drink, and that he was

not responsible for his actions.

AN APPALLING The Mormons Everywhere Celebrate the Birthday of Joseph Smith

THE OFFICIAL HOLIDAY OF THE MORMON CHURCH - ALL-DAY SERVICE TODAY IN THE TABERNACLE. AND A MUSICAL PROGRAM ON AN ELABORATE SCALE PONDS WITH CHRISTIAN CHRISTMAS.

Sait Lake City, Utah. Dec. 23.— and works. The story is told of his Chicago. III., Dec. 23.—The Crane and averaged about 5 per cent of the Among the Mormons everywhere were birth in 1805 in a lowly farm house company, manufacturers of elevators, yearly wage. The amount distribution of prob- ted this year was considerably in SIXTY-THREEAREKILLED bration of Christendom. This is and his subsequent "revelations," the made by an American concern to the partly because the company has about

and Balance of Passengers Escape. Customary Christmas celebrations musical service, which was on an laid off for one reason or another.

The program consists of music and of elaborate scale, was a chief feature. The money was distributed on of the faith, differing little from the discourses on Joseph Smith, his life of the program

After Blg Builders

CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY TO

WRECK RIVALS.

If Facts Are Borne Out, Wholesale

Indictments Will Occur-Walking

Delegate Farley Confesses and Im-

New York, Dec. 23 .- The grand jury

will be called upon within a few days

to start a searching inquiry into

charges that have been filed with Dis-

the most prominent builders and con-

leged are borne out it is expected that

wholesale indictments will be handed

down shortly. The charges made to

and contractors whose names are

known, conspired with certain walk-

ing delegates to have strikes declared

on jobs where rival firms had their

men employed. Conspiracy will be

Henry Farley, the walking delegate

of the painters' union, who a few days

ago pleaded guilty to perjury, and who

a now serving a year's sentence in

Sing Sing, has made a confession to

Just what Farley had confessed,

what names he has mentioned, are not

made public. During the last week

a large number of men have been ex-

amined by thed istrict attorney and

bis assistants under oath about this

these builders and contractors went

Little Japan Has

Nerve With Her

WAR BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE

BROWNIES LOOKS CERTAIN.

Jacanese Will Not Concede More Than

Unless Russia Weakens.

They Have-And Before Going Any

Further Will Fight for Her Interests

Pekin, Dec. 23 .- The optimistic feel-

ing in some quarters concerning war

shared by diplomats at Pekin whose

knowledge of the present situation of

affairs entitles their opinions to the

highest consideration. It is positive-

ly known that the Japanese Govern-

ment has drawn a line for settlement

beyond which it will not make any

material concessions, and that she is

determined to fight before yielding

SENATOR HANNA BETTER.

to Washington.

NOT SATURDAY.

New York, Dec. 23.-Senator Han-

the District Attorney, it is said.

the charge in every case mentioned.

If the facts al-

plicates Many Large Firms.

ractors in the city.

District Attorrey

be compared to the Christmas cele alleged discovery of the sacred plates, ably the largest Christmas gift ever excess of that of any previous year Joseph Smith's birthday anniversary, story of his subsequent career, in workers in its employ. The aggre- 1,000 more employed than it had a and the observance of it and of Brigham Young's birthday are official half tragic death in Illinois. At holidays of the Mormon church.

Story of his subsequent career, in gate amounted to \$250,000 and was year ago, and partly because of the distributed among 5,000 toilers. In unusually prosperous conditions that cluded among the recipients were have prevailed—The Crane Company the tabernacle today all day exerthe tabernacle today all day exer- about 500 men and women, not now in has branch offices in most of the In the evening interesting exercises cises were held with addresses by a the employ of the company, but who are held at all of the meeting houses number of prominent speakers. The were at the beginning of the year number of prominent speakers. The were at the beginning of the year

ACTRESS CHARGES MURDER OF MOTHER

Minnie Reder, or Mrs. Waller Hallbach, actress, within 24 hours after returning home, swore out information charging her step-father, C. W. Graves, with the murder of her mother. The coroner's jury made a verdict to the effect that Mrs. Graves had been choked to death, and that fire had been applied to her body afterward. Mrs. Graves' charred body was found last Friday. The couple have not been on good terms. and divorce proceedings had been instituted.

ratio of time worked during the year Seattle DEAD WILL HAVE

now in jail.

TO BURY THE DEAD

Chicago, Dec. 23.—The struggle between the Liverymen and Undertakers' Association and Livery Drivers' Union, which for the past six days has seriously interfered with the burial of Chicago's dead, as no horses or carriages have been available for funerals, is to be a fight to a finish, all efforts looking to a settlement of the strike by conciliation having been abandoned tonight. For past 'wo days the prospects for settlement by arbitration has seemed bright but today the contending parties drifted farther apart than ever, and all peace negotiations have been declared off by the employers.

Heinze's Action is Held

To be Next to Anarchy.

MONTANA U. S. COURT SCORES A MOVE IN COPPER WAR-FINES HEINZE \$2,000 FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT-TOOK BAD AD-VICE OF ATTORNEY, EVIDENTLY, AND THEREBY HE GOT INTO TROUBLE.

f F. Augustus Heinze and two of his Heinze and his company had mining engineers were declared to be trespassing secretly on the Michael Division Engineer S. G. Heater, of practice. It is openly charged that akin to anarchy in a decision handed Davitt ore bodies. to several walking delegates in this States Court today in the copepr war, and said he would remit them, provid-Holmes, of Emlenton, Pa on rival jobs. The fact that union of court, and J. H. Treriz, of the Mon- with within the next week or a date men were employed on these rival and Ore Purchasing Company, jobs and also that the workmen had Albert Frank, of the Johnstown Min-company absolutely no grienvances never en. ing Company, \$500 each for the same that they had not acted in good faith. neys, and that after the order of Judge

> ton Mining Company representatives ing his interest in it. Judge Beatty permission to examine and survey the sai dthat in his experience he had underground workings of the Michael never heard of an attorney advising

Helena, Mont., Dec. 23.—The actions owned by Heinze. It was charged that ing for Bean's disappearance. down by Judge Beatty in the United however, held the order in abeyance, some crime, but as it came out no one city and asked them to call strikes Heinze was fined \$2,000 for contempt ing the original order was complied

Heinze made the defense that he The court further declared had acted on the advice of his attor- 1551-2c; Mexican dollars, 423-4c. The contempt was in refusing to Knowles had been entered he had ober an order made twice by Judge 'ransferred the Rarus mine to the Knowles, giving the Montana and Bos. Johnstown Mining company, thus los-Davitt mine through the Rarus mine, his client to disobey a court.



Oliver Wayne Stewart, National Chairman of the Prohibition Party,

distributing house being in Los An-The money was distributed on the geles, San Francisco, Portland and The Disappearance

principal cities on the Pacific coast

WAS WANTED IN INDIAN TERRI-STEALING.

Kidnaped by Officers and Spirited Away-Man Had Been Near Douglas.

The mystery of the disappearance of the man Bean has at last been clear He was not murdered as was at first thought, but kidnaped. The rancher for whom Bean was working received a letter from him which tells the whole story. Bean was wanted in Indian Territory for cattle stealing. Officers in the Territory found out where he was located and came down here after him. They found him in town with a team and wagon and followed him out towards the cattle pens. Here they arrested him and took him He was spirited away by the officers and taken back to New Mexico. When he was arrested he was given a few minutes time to preare himself for his little journey; while he was doing this he wrote a note and left it in the wagon. note said, "They have got me." cam was found wandering around the next morning, and the note was found in the wagon. At first there were all kinds of stories and theories account thought that he had been the victim of murderers, others that he had left Judge Beatty, the country to escape punishment for ever guessed the real cause of Bean's sudden leaving of Arizona.

> New York, Dec. 23.-Following are today's closing quotations:

Colorado Strikers Losc Their Fight

MCRE MEN SEEKING WORK THAN CAN BE EMPLOYED.

Worse Setback Was When President Moyer Was Led Out of Town Threatened With Vagrancy-Miners Likely to Bolt at Any Minute.

Denver. (Dec. 23.-A(1) indications are that the striking miners have lost their fight in Colorado, both in the gold and silver and in the coal fields. The strike atmosphere is clearing dai-If, and it is believed that the military campaign of the state authorities has resulted in a complete defeat for the

There arem ore men seeking work A Fine Banquet. than there is employment for. Governor Peabody has ordered a general reduction of the militia forces at Tellurice and Cripple Creek, owing to day was that of the banquet given to the fact that the non-union men are in the ladies who participated in the Lathe majority in these districts, and dies' Minetrels. It was served at the are believed to be amply able to take Opera Club Cafe by Harry Nobles, care of themselves. Several mines the proprietor, and embraced the mest

there is a growing dissatisfaction ery guest expressed themselves as over the long drawn-out fight, and it more than pleased with the entertainis probable that the Italian miners ment. Mr. Nobles is obtaining will resume in a body next week.

nized with Japanese, who are proving will serve an elegant dinner on Christcapable and tractable workmen, and mes Day, embracing oysters, fish of the strikers see that their positions various kinds, game in abundance, and are growing more precarious each all the delicacies of the season. The cure a renewal of the strike agree on Tuesday evening was furnished by cure a renewal of the strike agree on Tuesday evening was furnished by ment failed last night, and a bolt is Al Garth's Orchestra, and active (Continued on Page Four.)

DISPATCHES OF GENERAL IMPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO POSTMASTER REFUSED MAIL ADDRESSED REPUBLIC OF PANAMA."

AND WAS CALLED DOWN

Employment by Illinois Steel Ce

Washington, Dec. 23.-The Repub c of Panama, through its minister, M. Bunau-Varilla, has filed its protest against the postal authorities in San of Bean Explained Francisco, who refused to accept registered mail or parcel post addresses stered mail or parcel post addressed to the Republic of Panama. The con sul states that these authorities insist on mail being addressed "Republic of The Postmaster Gener al, upon receipt of the communication from the State Department, sent a elegram to the postmaster at San Francisco instructing him to accept or registration mail matter properly prepared and prepaid addressed points in the Republic of Panama

PAY CHECKS FAIL TO ARRIVE.

Unavoidably Detained in 'Frisco, But Men Walked Out.

Bakersfield, Cal., Dec. 23.-In ordance with notice served late tonight on Master Mechanic about 200 shopmen employed in the Southern Pacific railroad shops Kern quit work today in consequence of non-arrival of the monthly pay checks, which have been unavoidably delayed in the auditor's office at Sau rancisco.

WITH WINTER ON HAND.

An Army of Men Are Out of Work in Chicago.
Chicago. Dec. 23.—The entire plants

of the Illinois Steel Co., at South Chiago was closed tonight for an indefi nite period, throwing 6,500 men out of work. No notice was posted of when work would be resumed in the mills, but at the offices it was said the shut down would last at least three weeks When the mills are reopened it is reported a wage cut of from 10 to 15 per cent will be put into force. ready some of the steel workers are

SMOOT PURPOSES DEFENSE.

Engages One of the Most Prominent Lawyers of Idaho.

Boise, Idaho, Dec. 23 .- A special to he Statesman from Wallace, Idaho, says Hon. W. E. Ralph, one of the most prominent lawyers in the State. has received a telegram from Senaer Read Smoot, of Utah, asking him n act as counsel in the contest over Senator Smoot's set in the U. S. senate. Ralph has wired his acceptance, and will leave for Washington ta a few days.

WARSHIP AT WORK.

And Is Blazing Away at Puerto Plata With Unknown Results.

Cape Haytien, Dec. 23.-A special dispatch has just been received announcing the fact that a Dominican warship is bombarding Puerto Plata. Details have not been received as to what damages is being, or has been

One of the finest banquets that has been served in this city for many a and mills are running to their full ca-In the Southern Colorado coal mines Opera Club is becoming famous, Ev-The district has been heavily colo- or of the citation as the leading cater-

much to the pleasure of the occasion